March 25, 2009

FRANKLIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT LOCAL/STATE BOARD FACILITIES HEARING No. 1 REPORT AMENDMENT NO. 1

A Local public hearing was held at the Franklin County School Board Office on March 25, 2009, at 5:30 pm (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose an amended District Facility Plan developed by the Franklin County Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted **11-0** in favor of the proposed amended plan and the Board voted **5-0** to approve the amendment.

There was (1) individual in attendance aside from the hearing officer. Wayne Dominick, Communications Director, served as the locally-appointed hearing officer. Charley Preston was present.

COMMENTS

Charley Preston called the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 4:180. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. It was also noted that all considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed amendment to the District Facility Plan that includes: major roof replacement renovation to Franklin County High School, Western Hills High School, Bondurant Middle School, Transportation and Maintenance Building, and the FCHS Fieldhouse; Removal of an additional west side elementary school; Major renovation to Collins Lane Elementary and Western Hills High School; Minor renovation to Bridgeport Elementary, Bondurant Middle School, Elkhorn Middle School and the FCPS Bus Compound.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. Mr. Preston noted that the LPC and Franklin County Board of Education worked hard to develop the amended plan and expressed his thanks for the work that was accomplished by both groups.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Amended District Facility Plan developed by the Franklin County Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Franklin County Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Franklin County School District. A copy of the amended plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted, Reviewed by,

Wayne Dominick, Hearing Officer Timothy K. Lucas, KDE Staff

cc: Mark W. Ryles, Director Attachments: Franklin County District Facility Plan

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